

PATENT APPLICATION

N THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Masayuki ASAHINA

Application No.: 10/687,774

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POLISHING AGENT AND LAPPING METHOD

Group Art Unit: 3723

Examiner: E. Morgan

Docket No.: 117542

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

For:

In reply to the March 24, 2005 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.